

Milwaukee County

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MILWAUKEE HABITAT FOR HUMANITY TO BUILD TEN HOMES IN FIVE DAYS

Supervisor Biddle will join team of AmeriCorps members building homes in Park West neighborhood

Milwaukee, WI – Milwaukee County Supervisor Eyon Biddle, Sr., will participate in the kick-off of a major Milwaukee Habitat for Humanity housing construction project in Milwaukee's Park West neighborhood, which is located in the 10th Supervisory District. Ten new homes will be constructed in just five days next week during the AmeriCorps Build-a-Thon in conjunction with Habitat for Humanity International.

"In walking the neighborhoods of my district during the campaign, I noticed that a number of homes were foreclosed or abandoned. It's devastating to see," Supervisor Biddle said. "It's great news that Habitat for Humanity is making an investment here by constructing new homes for working families."

More than 80 AmeriCorps National and VISTA members will participate in the project. Supervisor Biddle will also lend a helping hand when the construction work begins on Monday, and will be available for media interviews at 1:30 Monday, May 9 at 2417 W. Monroe Street in Milwaukee.

Milwaukee Habitat for Humanity home construction kickoff Milwaukee County Supervisor Eyon Biddle, Sr. 5:30 p.m., Sunday, May 8, 2011 Wisconsin State Fair Park, Tommy Thompson Youth Center 640 S. 84th Street, West Allis, WI

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